

**Claims**

1. A combination comprising candesartan or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof and rosuvastatin or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof for prevention or treatment of atherosclerosis.

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2. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises a combination as claimed in Claim 1 in association with a pharmaceutically acceptable diluent or carrier for use in the prevention or treatment of atherosclerosis.

10 3. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises a combination as claimed in Claim 1, in association with a pharmaceutically acceptable diluent or carrier for use in the prevention of cardiovascular events.

15 4. A combination as claimed in Claim 1 for use in the manufacture of a medicament for the prevention or treatment of atherosclerosis.

5. A combination as claimed in Claim 1 for use in the manufacture of a medicament for the prevention of cardiovascular events.

20 6. A combination as claimed in Claim 1 for use as a medicament for the prevention or treatment of atherosclerosis.

7. A combination as claimed in Claim 1 for use as a medicament for prevention of cardiovascular events.

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8. A method of preventing or treating atherosclerosis in a warm-blooded animal, such as man, which comprises administering a combination as claimed in Claim 1.

30 9. A method of preventing cardiovascular events in a warm-blooded animal, such as man, which comprises administering a combination as claimed in Claim 1.

10. A kit comprising a combination as claimed in Claim 1; optionally with instructions for use in the prevention or treatment of atherosclerosis.

11. A combination as claimed in Claim 1 wherein candesartan is in the form of candesartan cilexetil.